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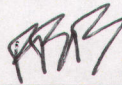
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Minerals Inspection Report

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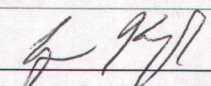
Report Date: 12/18/2014

Mine Name: Tetla Septarian Mine	Permit Number: S/025/0006	Mine Status: Reclaimed
Operator Name: Robert L. Harris	Inspection Date: 09/23/2014	Permit Fees: No Fee Req.
Inspector(s): Lynn Kunzler	Inspection Time: 10:30 am	Bond Amount: \$2,000
Attendee(s):	Weather:	Bond Escalation: na
Inspection Purpose: Check on reclamation status while in the area.		Prior Inspection: 06/18/2013

Conclusions and Recommendations

The site is stable and vegetation is well established, exceeding premining ground cover levels. All trash and equipment have been removed. It has been over 3 years since last seeding or other reclamation work was completed. It would be acceptable to release this site if the operator so requests.

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated & Commented	Enforcement
1. <i>Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Permit status is reclaimed, permit fee not required. Current bond amount of \$2,000 could be released since the revegetation standard is achieved.		
2. <i>Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
There were no shafts or adits associated with this project. Highwall blends in with existing premining slopes and is considered stable. There was no trash or debris observed on this site.		
3. <i>Protection of Drainages/Erosion Control</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
There were no drainages associated with this project. There was no signs of uncontrolled erosion.		
4. <i>Deleterious Material</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
There was no deleterious materials on site.		
5. <i>Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. <i>Reclamation</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The site was reclaimed by regrading and seeding prior to 2011. All equipment has been removed from the site		
7. <i>Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. <i>Soils</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. <i>Revegetation</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ground cover of the reclaimed area was in excess of 70% Pre-mine ground cover (as estimated from surrounding areas) was less than 40%. Therefore the revegetation standard has been met.		
10. <i>Other</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The operator should request full release at this time, unless he plans to reopen the mine. Since this is on SITLA lands, their concurrence for release must be recieved.		

Inspector's Signature: 

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